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Please amend Paragraph No. 001 as follows:

[0001] This application is a continuation of U.S. Patent Application No. 10/113,922, filed March 29, 2002, now U.S. Patent No. 6,712,651 which is based on and claims priority to Japanese Patent Applications No. 2001-112642, filed April 11, 2001 and No. 2001-288524, filed September 21, 2001 the entire contents of all of which is hereby expressly incorporated by reference.